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Applicant: Koichi TAMURA

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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2004, Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I, Claims 1-12 drawn to the method for a communication over free space. Applicant, of course, reserves the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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